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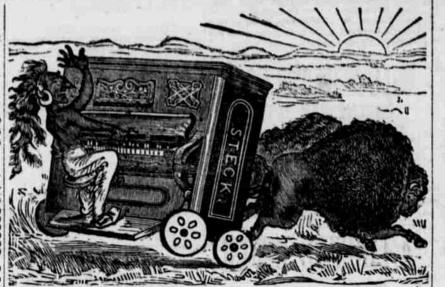
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> in the city said I sould no in the city said I could not live. I suffered fearfully from indigestion, and for over two years could not eat solid food and for a large portion of the time was unable to retain even liquid nourishment. I tried Brown's Iron Bitters and now after taking two bottles I am able to get up and go around and am rapidly improving. G. DECKER.

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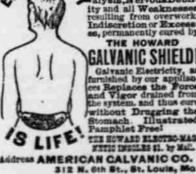
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## LECTRICA GALVANIC SHIELD!







### ALL SOULS' NIGHT.

Day, instituted by the Roman Catholic Church for the relief of souls in purgatory. It reminds us to re-publish the following

On Kingston Bridge.

Two met who had not met for years—
Their hate was once too deep for fears;
One drow his rapier as he came—
Up leapt his anger like a flame;
With clash of mail he faced his foe,
And hade him stand and meet him so.
He felt a grave-yard wind go hy—
Cold, cold as was his enemy;
A stony horror held him fast.
The Dead looked on with a ghastly stare,
And sighed: "I know thee not," and
Like to the mist and left him there
On Kingston Bridge.

'Twas All Sonl's Night, and to and fro The quick and dead together walked. The quick and dead together talked, On Kingston Bridge.

On Kingston Bridge.

Two met who had not met for years; With grief that was too deep for tears They parted last.

He clasped her hand, and in her eyes He sought Love's rapturous surprise. "Oh Sweet!" he eried, "hast thou come To say thou lovest thy lover still !" Into the starlight pale and cold She gared afar—her hand was chill. "Dest thou remember how we kept Our ardent vigits!—how we kissed ? Take thou these kisses as of old!" An loy wind about him swept; "I know thee not," the sighed, and pas Into the dim and shrouding mist On Kingston Bridge.

"Twas All Souls' Right, and to and fro The quick and dead together walked, The quick and dead tegether talked, On Kingston Bridge.

Written for the Puns Punsa Reminiscences of a Texas Veteran---The Santa Fe Expedition, etc.

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steps brought us in full view of all the pomp, circumstance and chivalry, bows and arrows, sycophants and rascals, with which the goveror is usualcruelty and barbarity, and that they freely gave it as their opinion that we should be ordered to execution at

man, was mounted on a mule of im- one in this day and age of affliction ing terms of the saloons in diff mense size, and gaily as well as richly caparisoned. Don Jesus had formed us into line at the roadside, there to await the advance of Armijo. The moment the quick eye of the latter country, where all good people were free and equal, irrespective of a personal country, where all good people were free and equal, irrespective of a personal country and country where all good people were free and equal, irrespective of a personal country and country where all good people were free and equal, irrespective of a personal country where all good people were free and equal, irrespective of a personal country where all good people were free and equal, irrespective of a personal country where all good people were stained with the blood of a friend whose life was taken in one of those same saloons which have ruined so caught a glance of us he rode directly up to the spot where we were standing, and, without dismounting, addressed us with no little politeness, shook each of us by the hand with much apparent cordiality, called us amigos (friends), and, after saying he had heard of our capture, asked us who we were. Lewis immediately answe were. Lewis immediately answered—and here the spirit of the craven caitiff first manifested itself—that we were merchants from the United States—Van Ness interrupted him at once by saying that with the exception of myself we were all Texans; but without heeding him Armijo ans; but without heeding him Armijo the many are increasing with wondergrasped Lewis by the collar of his ful rapidity, and the few diminishing dragoon jacket, dragged him along at an alarming rate. Money is fast side of his mule, and, pointing to the becoming the great king of terrors having seen that the Rev. Mr. S buttons, upon which were a single star and the word "Texas," he sternly said: "What does this mean? I can read—Texas,"—at the same time point. The same time point on earth; it is the lever by which nations, governments and people are bankrupted and honesty crushed to stoms. Industry yields no reward truth of the report. In reply Mr. Spurgeon said: "I never thought so, and sertials." cing it emphatically. Lewis quailed under his iron grasp, but without breeling the the state of the other."

steadily growing worse.

But after these general remarks not the slightest wish to be one or the other."

which Lewis answered stammering- sary two or three bales of cotton for Friday last the 2nd inst. was All Souls' ly, Armijo finally spoke of our main an income. Every party, and inquired of its numbers every other man's stock, and the intentions of the commission.

nopoly, Etc.

The sun had hidden himself beyond the range of mountains which divides the valley of the Pecos at this point from the Rio Grande, and we were approaching an old and ruined mission, which in former times had served the double purpose of a church and fortress, when suddenly church and fortress, when suddenly a sharp blast of a trumpet announced the approach of General Manuel Armoving it out of the way! Some the approach of General Manuel Armoving it out of the way! Some place struck for higher or more living wages.

In public, does it not become a public nusance have somewhere or at sometime or place struck for higher or more living wages.

J. D. C. mijo, governor of New Mexico. Au stock have been killed and more badly injured in the vicinity where I live by all wire fences, which has created concealed his ragged but numerous very much dissatisfaction. Our stock cavalcade from our sight, but a few have been used to unrestrained free-lows: dom here in a large area of range, and now that range being cut up by wire fences, and much of that barbed six years, has very much diminished ly surrounded. When I say that our ning at will, and run against those best interests of the county. guards had been entertaining us dur- wire fences, which have nothing on Some months ago a traveling coring the day with stories of Armijo's earth to mark their existence, they respondent of The Express p are certain to be killed, or greatly in- through Bee, Live Oak and McMulnot equitable, it is not right.

WIRE PENCE CUTTING.

heeding him the governor continued: "You need not think to deceive me; no merchant of the United States ever travels with a Texas military every state of the states of the state After asking several questions, to by. He had his stock, and if neces-Books, very cheap. Call and see.

and the intentions of the commission peace, good will and plenty. Is it so ers. He was answered by Van Ness now? The answer is on the lips of reminds us to re-publish the following poem, written by Ellen Mackay Hutchinson, and published in the Century, about a year ago. The poem presents the darkest view of the subject, and breathes a ghastly, ghostly spirit and influence, well calculated to chill the blood of the living.—Ed. Fars Press.

ON KINGSTON BRIDGE.

The beding night wind made its mean.

The might river arept below:

The answer is on the lips of and Howard that it was a mercantile experdition from Texas, and that the passport was a mercantile expery old Texan at least, zo, zo. Well why? Simply because we are driften nearer the eternal gulf into which at that is good and pure must eventually be hurled. The powers that be in that I accompanied it for the protection it afforded against Indians, and added that I had a passport wide her arms and cried out come from the Mexican consul at New Or leans. This passport, with all my papers, was in the hands of Don Jeneral very word (like some revival into the hands of the captain of the guard, at the same time remarking clied curse that so quickly followed in the shape of carpet bagism, then the shape of carpet bagism, the into the hands of the captain of the guard, at the same time remarking that the passport was a good one, but that, as I was found in company with the enemies of New Mexico, he should detain me until he could learn further of my intentions. My companions had invariably assured me that I would be released immediately on having an interview with the governor; but by this time I had seen enough of the people of New Mexico and heard enough of Armijo, to convince me that I need not look for justice at his hands, and was therefore but little disappointed at the disposition he made of my case. After what we heard of the fellow and his cruel barbarities, we felt in a measure satisfied on ascertaining that we were not to be shot upon the spot, and without a hearing.

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Wire Fence Wire Fence Cutting—Monopoly, Etc.

try in which one can safely rely on
farming exclusively for the support
of a family and to pay the demands
that are made upon him to maintain EDITOR FREE PRESS:—Under the above caption I wish to submit a few remarks. Wire fence (all wire) according to the best information that I can gain is unlawful. The statute defines a lawful fence, and an all wire fence is not contained in its definitions, and if there is any other law pertaining to it, I am not aware of it. I will not attempt to repeat what, all two cares for the wants of the poor man, for the class which we passed nearly a thousand troops, the larger portion of them armed with bows and arrows or old worn out muskets.

The sun had hidden himself beyond the range of mountains which which which we have under consideration now, as a portion of them armed with bows and arrows or old worn out muskets.

The sun had hidden himself beyond the range of mountains which the leaches, vampires and blood suck

> A Bee county correspondent of the San Antonio Express writes as fol-

wire, and now when the stock is at- the criminal business in our courts tempted to be driven, or even run- and has been found conducive to the

jured. If such a fence is lawful it is len counties, all local options, without writing a letter relating to either of them, but in well-written letters from sight, I need not add that the present I never cut an inch of wire fence other counties spoke strongly agains moment was exciting to a painful de- in my life, nor am I in the confidence local option, not because it could not of any one that has done so, nor am be enforced, but because of the ab-I an apologist for wire fence cutters, sence of drinking saloons. And the The governor himself, a fine, portly but am somewhat surprised that any same writer sometimes wrote in glow-

THE editor of the Central Baptist